

### **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM D

# NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO REGULATION D. SECTION 4(6), AND/OR UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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| Name of Offering (Check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.) Warrants exercisable for Common Stock and the Common Stock for which they may be exercised. | 12/155  |
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| Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505 Rule 506 Section 4(6) Type of Filing: New Filing Amendment   | ULOE  |
| A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA  | 1 10 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11              |
| 1. Enter the information requested about the issuer   |   |
| Name of Issuer ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  Copan Systems, Inc.   | 07049373  |
| Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 1900 Pike Road, Suite A, Longmont, CO, 80501  | Telephone Number (Including Area Code) (303) 532-0200 |
| Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (if different from Executive Offices)   | Telephone Number (Including Area Code)                |
| Brief Description of Business Storage hardware and software   | PPOor   |
| business trust limited partnership, to be formed  | ease specify):  APR 0 9 2007                          |
| Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization:    Month   Year  | THOMSON FINANCIAL                                     |

#### Federal:

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where To File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

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This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

#### - ATTENTION -

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predictated on the filing of a federal notice.

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### A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA ., Enter the information requested for the following: Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years; Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer. Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers. General and/or Executive Officer □ Director Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Brownell, Vern Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Egenera, Inc., 165 Forest Street, Marlboro, MA, 01752 Executive Officer □ Director General and/or Promoter Beneficial Owner Check Box(cs) that Apply: Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Horangic, Basil Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Austin Ventures, 300 West 6th Street, Suite 2300, Austin, TX, 78701 □ Director Check Box(es) that Apply: Beneficial Owner Executive Officer General and/or Promoter Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Kokol, Bobby Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Copan Systems, Inc., 1900 Pike Road, Suite A, Longmont, CO, 80501 Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Director General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Naik, Ullas Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Globespan Capital Partners, 300 Hamilton Ave., Palo Alto, CA, 94301 Beneficial Owner Executive Officer □ Director General and/or Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Nemeth, Wayne Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Credit Suisse Venture Capital, Eleven Madison Ave., New York, NY, 10010 Beneficial Owner Executive Officer □ Director ☐ Promoter General and/or Check Box(es) that Apply: Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Jani, Amish Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Pequot Capital Management, Inc., 500 Nyala Farm Road, Westport, CT, 06880 Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Ward, Mark B. Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Copan Systems, Inc., 1900 Pike Road, Suite A, Longmont, CO, 80501

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| A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <ul> <li>Enter the information requested for the following:</li> <li>Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years;</li> <li>Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer.</li> <li>Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and</li> <li>Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers.</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director Managing Partner  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual)  Veale, Garry   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Copan Systems, Inc., 1900 Pike Road, Suite A, Longmont, CO 80501  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual)  Mellon, Jon  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Copan Systems, Inc., 1900 Pike Road, Suite A, Longmont, CO 80501  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual)  Austin Ventures Funds  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 300 West 6 <sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 2300, Austin, TX 78701, Attn: Basil Horangic   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual)  JAFCO Funds  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 300 Hamilton Avenue, Top Floor, Palo Alto, CA 94301   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Pequot Funds  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 500 Nyala Farm Road, Westport, CT 06880, Attn: Amish Jani   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual)  Davenport, David W.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Copan Systems, Inc., 1900 Pike Road, Suite A, Longmont, CO 80501  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Check Box(cs) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Credit Suisse NEXT II Investors, L.P.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)  11 Madison Avenue, New York, NY. 10010, Attn: Wayne Nemeth   |  |  |  |  |  |  |

| B. INFORMATION ABOUT OFFERING  Yes No  1. Has the issuer sold, or does the issuer intend to sell, to non-accredited investors this offering?   |             |  |  |  |
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| Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE.  What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?  |             |  |  |  |
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| 2. What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?  Yes No  3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?  |             |  |  |  |
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| 4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering.  |             |  |  |  |
| If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state  |             |  |  |  |
| or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only.  |             |  |  |  |
| Full Name (Last name first, if individual)   |             |  |  |  |
| Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)   | _           |  |  |  |
| Name of Associated Broker or Dealer  | —           |  |  |  |
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| Ŀ  | C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF P  | ROCEEDS                     |          | (6)44(1)                             |
| I. | Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if the answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.  |                             |          | A A locado                           |
|    | Type of Security   | Aggregate<br>Offering Price |          | Amount Already<br>Sold               |
|    | Debt\$   | 0                           | <u> </u> | 0                                    |
|    | EquityS  | 0                           | \$       | 0                                    |
|    | ☐ Common ☐ Preferred   |                             |          |                                      |
|    | Convertible Securities (including warrants)  | 600,002.00*                 | <u> </u> | 2.00                                 |
|    | Partnership Interests  |                             |          | 0                                    |
|    | Other (Specify)\$  |                             |          | 0                                    |
|    | Total  |                             | _        |                                      |
|    | Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.   |                             | _        |                                      |
| 2. | Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."             |                             |          | A ggregate                           |
|    | <b>.</b><br>   | Number<br>Investors         |          | Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases |
|    | Accredited Investors   | 2                           |          | s 2.00                               |
|    | Non-accredited Investors   | 0                           | •        | s                                    |
|    | Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)  |                             |          | s                                    |
|    | Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE.   |                             |          |                                      |
| 3. | If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C — Question 1.   |                             |          |                                      |
|    |  | Type of                     |          | Dollar Amount                        |
|    | Type of Offering   | Security                    |          | Sold                                 |
|    | Rule 505   |                             |          | s                                    |
|    | Regulation A   |                             |          | s                                    |
|    | Rule 504   |                             |          | s                                    |
|    | Total  |                             |          | s                                    |
| 4  | a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the insurer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. |                             |          |                                      |
|    | Transfer Agent's Fees  |                             | \$       |                                      |
|    | Printing and Engraving Costs   |                             |          | <u> </u>                             |
|    | Legal Fees   |                             |          | 15,000.00                            |
|    | Accounting Fees  |                             | S        | S                                    |
|    | Engineering Fees   |                             |          | )                                    |
|    | Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)   |                             | S        | }                                    |

· Total..... \*\$600,000.00 of this amount has not been received by the Issuer to date and will not be received until such time, if any, that the Warrants are exercised.

Other Expenses (identify) \_\_\_

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|         | C. OFFERING PRICE NUM  | BER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF P   | ROCEEDS  | The second second      |
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|         | b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offeri and total expenses furnished in response to Part C — proceeds to the issuer."   | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·   |  | s <u>585,002.00</u>    |
| i.      | Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross pro-<br>each of the purposes shown. If the amount for any<br>check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of<br>proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part C | purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and the payments listed must equal the adjusted gross     |  |                        |
|         |  |   | Payments to<br>Officers,<br>Directors, &<br>Affiliates | Payments to<br>Others  |
|         | Salaries and fees  |   | ] s  | s                      |
|         | Purchase of real estate  |   | ] <b>\$</b>  | s                      |
|         | Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of mach   | inery   | □ s  | □ s                    |
|         | Construction or leasing of plant buildings and facil   | lities  | ] s  | □ s                    |
|         | Acquisition of other businesses (including the valu<br>offering that may be used in exchange for the asset<br>issuer pursuant to a merger)   | s or securities of another  | ] s  | □ s                    |
|         | Repayment of indebtedness  |   |  |                        |
|         | Working capital  |   |  |                        |
|         | Other (specify):   |   | ] s  | . 🗆 s                  |
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|         | Column Totals  | E   | ] s  | ⊠ \$ <u>585,002.00</u> |
|         | Total Payments Listed (column totals added)  |   | ⊠ s_   | 585,002.00             |
|         |  | D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE  |  |                        |
| ig      | e issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the<br>nature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furn<br>information furnished by the issuer to any non-accre  | undersigned duly authorized person. If this notice ish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commissi | is filed under Ru<br>ion, upon writter                 | le 505, the following  |
|         | ucr (Print or Type)  | Signature [   | Date   | <del></del>            |
| <u></u> | pan Systems, Inc.  | Hark B. War > 1   | March <u>&amp;</u> , 200                               | )7<br>                 |
|         | ne of Signer (Print or Type) urk B. Ward   | Title of Signer (Print or Type) President & CEO   |  |                        |

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Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)



